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For: METHODS OF TESTING FOR ALLERGIC DISEASES AND THERAPEUTIC AGENTS FOR TREATING SAME

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- Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a Small Entity Statement previously submitted.
- A Small Entity Statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

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This Amendment After Final Rejection is being filed in response to the Final Office Action mailed from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on November 18, 2005 in the above-identified application.

Please amend the application as follows: